

## MILLER APPROVES APPROPRIATIONS

Signs \$98,000,000 Budget Measure Without a Single Change.

SUPPLEMENTAL BILL IN Extra Items Aggregating \$5,585,325 Submitted to Legislature.

STATE OFFICE BUILDING \$350,000 Provided for Foundation of Structure to Be Built in Albany.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD, New York Herald Bureau, Albany, April 9.

Gov. Miller signed to-day the annual appropriation bill of approximately \$98,000,000 in exactly the same form as it was sent to him by the Legislature. That act shows the close cooperation between the Governor and the Legislature. Not since Theodore Roosevelt was the Chief Executive of the State has an appropriation bill been approved without changes. All other Governors since had cut out items considered necessary by the Legislature. Under the law the Governor may eliminate any item in its entirety, but he is not permitted to reduce an item.

The supplemental appropriation bill, containing items aggregating \$5,585,325, was introduced in both houses to-day, practically completing the work of the Legislature in providing for the State's expenses for the next fiscal year. It will bring the budget, which includes all special as well as the regular appropriation bills, up to nearly \$125,000,000, a reduction of over \$9,000,000 from last year. The legislative leaders estimated several weeks ago that the budget would be about \$134,500,000.

The budget requests submitted to the Legislature by department heads at the beginning of the session totalled \$205,000,000. The Governor immediately served notice on the legislative leaders that the budget must be cut down to \$140,000,000.

"They've gone me one better," was the satisfied comment of the Governor several weeks ago, when assured by the finance chairman of the two houses that they could keep the budget to approximately \$135,000,000.

The supplemental appropriation bill contained the items which had to be provided for since the main appropriation bill for the support of the Government was passed. The principal ones are: \$2,500,000 for the reorganized tax commission, \$100,000 for the reorganized public service commission, \$300,000 for judgments against the State, \$851,000 to complete the State's obligation for the Schenectady-Scotia bridge, which originally was \$1,500,000; \$35,000 as indemnities to farmers whose sheep or fowl were killed by dogs, \$250,000 for the foundation of the State's \$3,000,000 office to be erected west of the Capitol.

The regular appropriation bill provides \$150,000 for the building. The site for the structure was purchased and cleared several years ago, but the construction work was held up by the increased cost of labor and material during the war. The State now intends to go ahead with it this summer.

The \$1,500,000 needed for the reorganized State Labor Department is provided for in a special bill now in the Senate third reading calendar.

Senator Lusk introduced to-day the bill fixing the salaries of the new State tax commissioners.

The chairman is to get \$12,500 and two other commissioners \$10,000 each.

## NAVAL PAYMASTER BLAMES PICKPOCKET

Back in Boston, He Says \$13,954 Was Stolen From Him.

Boston, April 9.—Lieut. Joseph J. Lynam, the naval paymaster whose disappearance three weeks ago was followed by charges of embezzlement of \$25,000, was returned here from Montreal to-day, arraigned before a Federal commissioner and held in \$25,000 bonds for the Grand Jury.

He said he was penniless and had wandered about Montreal hungry and without work after he fled there from Nashua, N. H., on March 18. His troubles were due, he insisted in an interview with Federal officers, not to embezzlement, but to a loss of \$13,954 on a train between Washington and Boston. He attributed the loss to a pickpocket.

Lynam said he went to Washington on March 12 and his accounts checked as correct, and took away \$13,954 as a surplus of funds of the United States steamship Pueblo to transfer to the accounts of the scout cruiser Chester. En route to Boston he said his pocket was rifled of the funds. Arriving in Boston on March 17 he called the commanding officer of the Chester on the telephone and told him he had lost some important papers; then getting panicky over the fact that whether it were theft or loss he would have to stand trial for the shortage, said he hired an automobile and went to Nashua, N. H., taking the train there for Canada.

## DEMOCRATS CELEBRATE JEFFERSON DAY HERE

Bainbridge Colby and Ex-Gov. Smith Among Speakers.

The National Democratic Club held its annual Jefferson Day dinner last night at the Hotel Astor, while the 1,000 persons present exuded the somewhat lessened enthusiasm befitting the party which is out of power.

Speakers traced the record of the Democratic party from the time of Thomas Jefferson, praised the Wilson Administration and expressed confidence that the future would bring new glories to the party. Bainbridge Colby, former Secretary of State, said that, though the party is out of power, it has duties to the country which are little less important than the duties it had when in power.

Other speakers were Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland, former Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York and Dr. Henry Van Dyke.

## LOST BALLOON FOUND; NO TRACE OF CREW

Craft That Carried Five Men Picked Up at Sea.

PANAMA CITY, Fla., April 9.—The naval balloon which has been missing, with five men, since it left the Pensacola naval station, March 22, was picked up in the Gulf late yesterday by a fishing boat and brought here to-day. No trace of the crew was found.

Capt. Roy Eckert of the boat which found the gas bag said the top of the bag was above water, held up by the little gas remaining, while the car was still attached and riding three and one-half fathoms below the surface. He brought the balloon into port with him.

The balloon was commanded by Pilot G. K. Wilkinson of Houston, Texas, when it took the air. With him in the basket were four student pilots, R. E. Eland, Bellville, Ill.; E. L. Kershaw, Payne, La.; E. Elder, Lebanon, N. Y., and W. H. Trefrey, Salem, Mass. The only word ever received of them came by carrier pigeon messages two days after they left the station, saying the balloon was sinking and drifting out into the Gulf.

## I Would Like to Send You the Results of My Investigation

Some months ago I began an inquiry into the security of our cemeteries. I wanted to know whether I would some day be a "Poor Yorick" or whether the memorial to my life and my accomplishments would endure.

I discovered that the cemetery in the city is UNSAFE! I discovered that the cemetery not in the city is also likely to be encroached upon in time—unless it is guarded by the insuperable barriers of Nature.

—I then bought a lot at Kensico because I KNEW it would endure.

I have briefly written my findings in an article called "The Passing of Our City Cemeteries"—the first time the actual facts have been available to the public—and, I may add, they are astounding—almost incredible facts—that every family will be grateful to know.

If you will telephone or write The Kensico Cemetery, 103 Park Avenue (Murray Hill 1841), and just say "Send me 'The Passing of Our City Cemeteries'" they will be pleased to comply, or if you like, drop me a postal and I will send it to you.



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## Bridle Path and Bridal Path

are not precisely synonymous terms, yet both turn one's thoughts involuntarily to the bloom-time of the year

The Bridle Path, for instance, suggests a smartly-cut, well-fitting riding habit; with riding shirt, waistcoat, hat, gloves, boots, crop, and other addenda of the modern equestrienne's morning canter in the Park or along the country side. And all of these may be secured here, where Women's, Misses' and Children's Riding Habits, ready-to-wear or made to measure, are an important specialty.

The Bridal Path, on the other hand, suggests a wedding gown and veil, a going-away costume, and the thousand-and-one dainty essentials of the bride's trousseau; bridesmaids' dresses and hats; house linens, and many other necessities of the well-appointed ménage. And these, too, may be obtained here, in this Store of inexhaustible resources.

### For Monday

5,000 Yards of  
44-inch Swiss Organdy

(of very fine quality, permanent finish; imported this season) in a wide range of the fashionable plain colors, as well as black

exceptionally low-priced at

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(First Floor)

A New Importation of  
Knitted Wool Sports Capes

recently arrived from Scotland, is now displayed in the Knitted Outergarments section of the Third Floor.

Very striking are these smart capes, some of which are studies in plain color, while others reveal stunning stripe effects in combinations of colors.

Moderately priced, in regular stock  
at \$29.00

### The Silk Department

is introducing, and has now on sale, a new all-silk

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(Third Floor)

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### Summer Curtains

of good quality, specially priced

Hemstitched Curtains

Scrim . . . . . per pair \$1.75  
Marquisette . . . . . per pair 2.25

Ruffled Muslin Curtains

per pair . . . . . \$2.50

Imported Madras Curtains

(cream tone) . . . . . per pair \$2.75

Many other styles in Summer Curtains are in regular stock, moderately priced.

(Fourth Floor)

### For Monday

### Household Linens

for Summer use, attractively priced

All-linen Damask Table Cloths  
each . \$7.50, 9.00, 10.50, 11.50

All-linen Damask Napkins  
per dozen \$9.00, 9.75, 12.75, 14.50

All-linen Huckaback Towels

Guest size . . . . . per dozen \$9.00, 11.00  
Room size, per doz. 12.00, 15.00, 18.00

(Fourth Floor)